

REMARKS

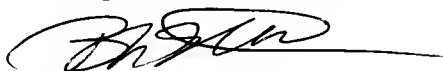
Claims 1-5, 8-16 and 18-57 are pending, with claims 19-57 withdrawn from consideration. In the Amendment filed on September 21, 2010, no claims were cancelled, no new claims were added, and claims 1 and 52 were amended, with claim 52 amended to correct a typographical error. By this Supplemental Amendment, no claims are cancelled, no claims are amended and no new claims are added.

In the September 21, 2010 Amendment, on page 14 first paragraph, it was stated "synthesis gas (carbon dioxide and hydrogen) is used as the feedstock for an F-T synthesis, which is not a hydrocarbonaceous feed." Applicants respectfully clarify that synthesis gas primarily comprises carbon monoxide and hydrogen (and occasionally trace amounts of carbon dioxide, which is not normally regarded as a principal component of synthesis gas).

In view of the September 21, 2010 Amendment as clarified by the foregoing, it is submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned if the Examiner believes it would be useful to advance prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,



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